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SUBJECT: PREPARATIONS FOR 1979 WORLD GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE RADIO
CONFERENCE

REF: STATE A-377

1. IN CONVERSATION WITH E/C COUNSELOR MANAGING DIRECTOR LIBERIA
TELECOMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION SAMUEL BUTLER STATED THAT WITH
REFERENCE TO SUBJECT MATTER LDCS LIKE LIBERIA FACED ENTIRELY
DIFFERENT PROBLEMS FROM THOSE CONFRONTING DCS. HE CITED AS AN
EXAMPLE LIBERIA, WHICH IS PLANNING MICROWAVE SYSTEM WITH 960
TELEPHONE CHANNELS. THIS EQUIPMENT, HE PREDICTED, WOULD WEAR OUT
BEFORE ITS CAPACITY IS REACHED. IN DCS, BUTLER SAID SITUATION IS
REVERSED WITH LARGE GROWING DEMAND CONSTANTLY PRESSING ON
AVAILABLE CAPACITY. HE SAID LDCS LIKE LIBERIA ARE INTERESTED IN
RETAINING AND PROTECTING FREQUENCY SPECTRUM FOR BROAD BAND
COMMUNICATION FREE FROM INTERFERENCE.

2. BUTLER MENTIONED LIBERIA'S CONCERN WITH FOLLOWING:

A. RESERVATION OF CERTAIN PART OF FREQUENCY SPECTRUM FOR
EDUCATIONAL TELEVISION AND FOR USE OF SATELLITE FOR
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PURPOSE AT REASONABLE COST,

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B. ASSURANCE THAT COST OF EQUIPMENT WILL NOT BE EXCESSIVE.

3. BUTLER ADMITTED THAT EXCEPT FOR QUESTION (C) IN PARAGRAPH
III OF REFAIR, GOL WOULD NOT BE MAKING PREPARATIONS FOR
SUBJECT CONFERENCE. HE INDICATED THAT GOL WOULD PROBABLY NOT
ATTEND CONFERENCE. AS FOR QUESTION (C) HE SAID NATIONAL PLANS
INVOLVING USE OF RADIO HAVE BEEN DEVELOPED UP TO YEAR 1985.

4. BUTLER SHOWED KEEN INTEREST IN RECEIVING U.S. VIEWS AND
BACKGROUND INFORMATION IN SUPPORT OF SUCH VIEWS.
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